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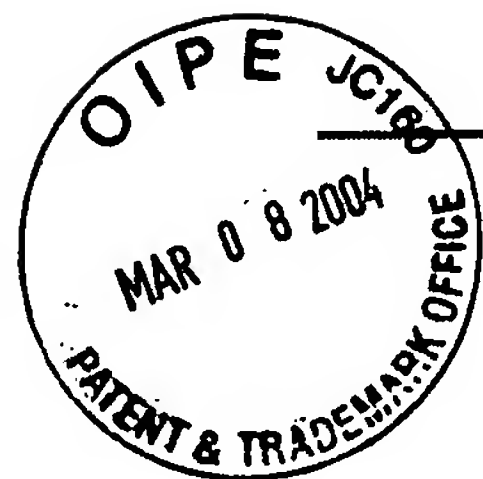
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Method and Apparatus for Noise Reduction by Spectral and Subcarrier Averaging

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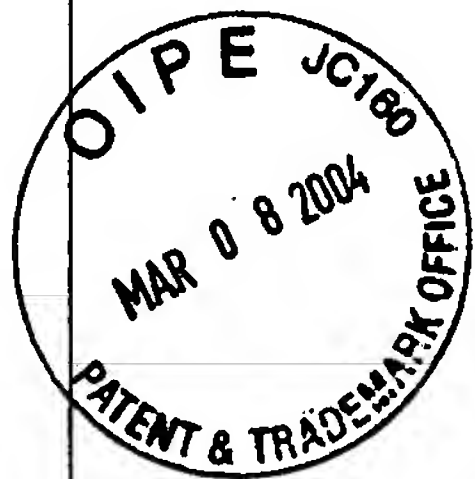
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APPLICANT: **Israel Morejon et al.**
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FOR: **METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR NOISE REDUCTION BY SPECTRAL AND SUBCARRIER AVERAGING**

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TRANSMITTAL OF REQUEST FOR CORRECTION

Sir,

Please accept the enclosed:

1. Applicant's Request for Correction of Filing Receipt;
2. A copy of the filing receipt received by counsel;
3. A copy of the Granted Petition to assign provisional application 60/319,671 a filing date of November 6, 2002; and
4. A self-addressed, postage pre-paid postcard, to serve as a receipt for items 1 and 3.

Very respectfully,

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In re Application of
MOREJON, ISRAEL, et al.
Application No. 60/319,671
Filed: November 6, 2002
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: Decision Granting Petition
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This is a decision on a request for reconsideration filed September 10, 2003, and supplemented on January 27, 2004, of a decision dismissing a petition for suspension of the 37 CFR 1.84(a)(2) under 37 CFR 1.183 mailed April 9, 2003.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

The request for reconsideration states that Justice requires a waiver of the rules. This is interpreted to mean that since the filing date of a patent application is very critical and not according a filing date could result in loss of patent rights; the situation in this application is deemed to be an extraordinary situation where justice requires waiver of the rules.

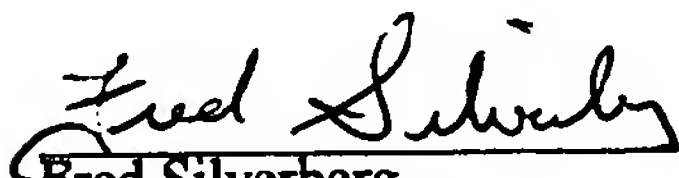
The request for reconsideration included a paper copy of the application as required by paper no. 4. The request states the steps that were taken to print the copy of the application that was submitted and the supplemental response filed January 27, 2004, states the drawings submitted with the present request on September 10, 2003 are identical to the electronic versions submitted in the original EFS filing. Michael Lewis of this office similarly, reviewed the drawings and electronic filing to verify the latter statement.

Since the paper drawings are identical to the electronic submission and justice requires their acceptance the petition to waive the rules is **GRANTED**.

In view of the above, the application is entitled to a filing date of November 6, 2002.

The instant application is being forwarded to the Office of Initial Patent Examination (OIPE) for further processing with a filing date of November 6, 2002, using the application papers filed November 6, 2002, and application pages numbered 8 to 21 of drawings filed September 10, 2003, and an indication on the bibliographic data sheet that 14 pages of drawing were present on filing.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to Michael L. Lewis at (703) 306-5585.


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